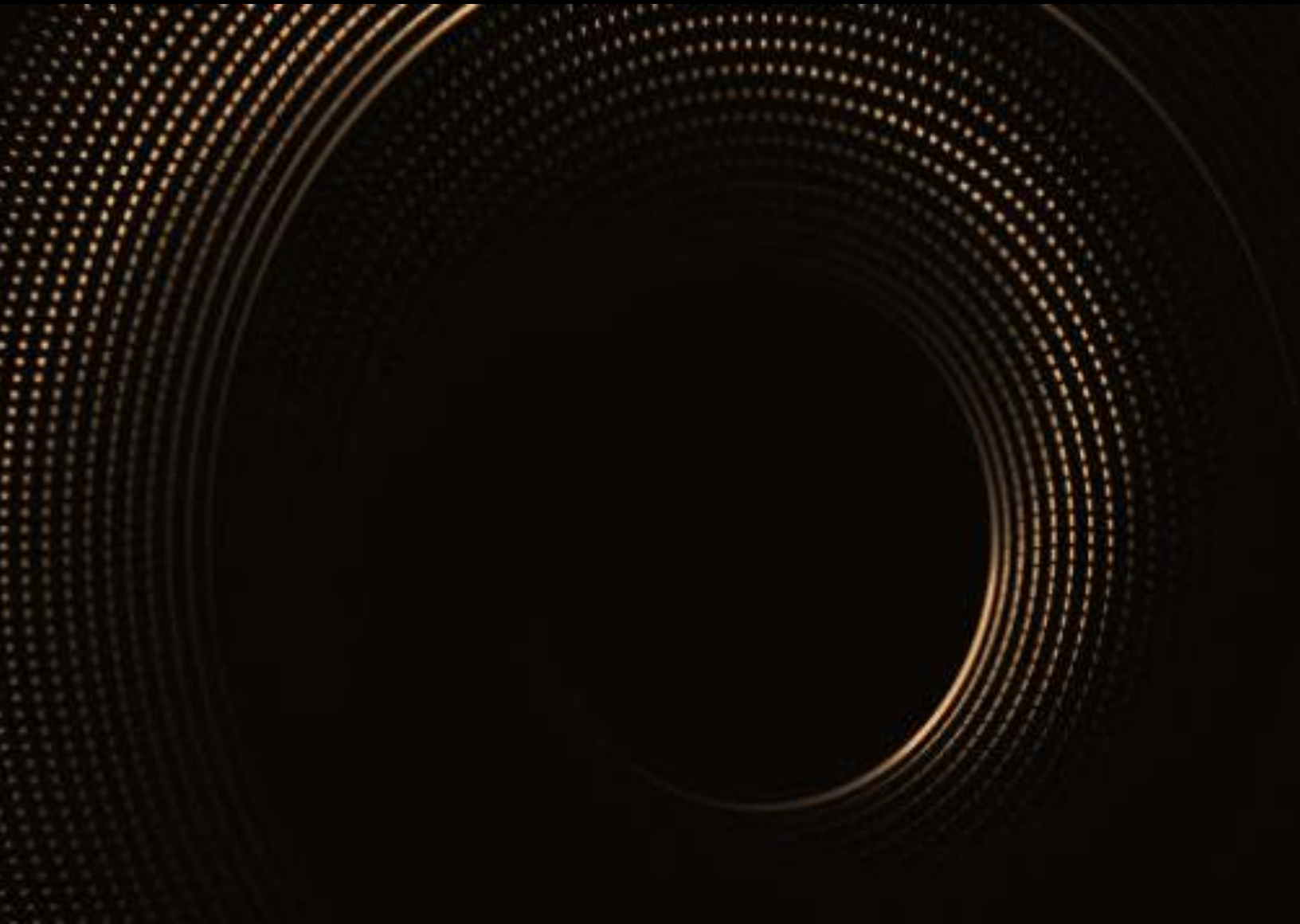


July 6

Romans 3:23-31

“The Law of Faith”



23 For all have sinned, and come short of the glory of God;

24 Being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus:

25 Whom God hath set forth to be a propitiation through faith in his blood, to declare his righteousness for the remission of sins that are past, through the forbearance of God;

26 To declare, I say, at this time his righteousness: that he might be just, and the justifier of him which believeth in Jesus.

27 Where is boasting then? It is excluded. By what law? of

works? Nay: but
by the law of faith.

²⁸ Therefore we conclude
that a man is **justified by faith**
without the deeds of the law.

²⁹ Is he the God of the Jews
only? is he not also of the
Gentiles? Yes, of the
Gentiles also:

³⁰ Seeing it is one God,
which shall justify the
circumcision by faith, and
uncircumcision through faith.

³¹ Do we then make void the
law through faith? God forbid:
yea, we establish the law.

That's powerful!
Although it is so
disregarded and so
misunderstood, it is
oh, so precious when
it is accepted.

What does it mean?
Everyone has sinned.
Absolutely no one
measures to the level
of worthiness of God's
glory. However, sin is

made right; it's fixed by
God's grace, through the
rescue and recovery
which is "in Christ Jesus".

God has designated Jesus
to be the payment for sin.

It is through faith in
Jesus' blood that
righteousness is brought
about. God holds back
the penalty for sin. He
restrains Himself from

executing the rightful punishment. God affirms that the blood of Jesus is the righteousness which is capable of wiping away sins.

God establishes the justness of Jesus. God also confirms that Jesus is the “justifier” of whomever believes in Jesus. In other words,

Jesus is the one who
fixes, cleans up, makes
right, and wipes the slate
clean for those who
believe in him.

So, seeing that it is God
who designed it and Jesus
who fulfilled it, what have
you got to be proud
about? Whatever you
think you've got to brag
about is invalid and

useless—“it is excluded”.

What law do you think saves you? Do you think it's the law of works that saves you? Wrong!

Salvation comes from the law of faith.

That's why we can say that people are justified by FAITH “without the deeds of the law”.

Is God the God of Jews

only? Isn't God the God of Gentiles as well? Of course God is the God of non-Jews too.

It is the one God who justifies souls through faith, (in reference to those who are circumcised vs. those who are not circumcised). Does that then mean the law is voided because of

faith? Of course not.
Rather, it means the
law is established. In
other words, faith
establishes the law;
it does not abolish it—
that's the law of faith.